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ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 ARA-06 ISO-00 L-03 AGR-05 CIAE-00 COME-00

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FM AMEMBASSY SANTO DOMINGO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6347

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, EAGR, DR

SUBJ: COFFEE: US MEMBERSHIP IN INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT

REF: STATE 41402

1. LOCAL PRESS COVERAGE OF THE SECRETARY'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT US WILL SIGN NEW ICA WAS LIMITED TO A SHORT STATEMENT OF THE FACTS WITH NO EDITORIAL COMMENT.

2. DOMINICAN CENTER FOR PROMOTION OF EXPORTS (CEDOPEX) OFFICIAL IN CHARGE OF COFFEE MARKET STUDIES PREDICTED TO EMBOFF THAT GODR WILL RATIFY DR MEMBERSHIP IN NEW ICA WITHIN NEXT MONTH OR TWO. HE ALSO ANTICIPATED THAT DR WILL CONTINUE NORMAL FLOW OF COFFEE TO US UP TO OCTOBER 1, 1976. SIMILAR REMARKS MADE TO EMBOFF BY DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF COFFEE AND COCOA IN SECRETARIAT OF AGRICULTURE. (DEPARTMENT OF COFFEE AND COCOA HAS RESPONSIBILITY FOR OVERSEEING COFFEE EXPORTATIONS AND ISSUING CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN.)

3. EMBASSY NOTES THAT DR COFFEE HARVESTING BEGINS JUST BEFORE  
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OCTOBER 1 EACH YEAR AND LARGE MAJORITY OF 1975-1976 CROP

HAS ALREADY BEEN EXPORTED.  
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## Message Attributes

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